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Application No.: 10/540,980 Group Art Unit: 2882
Filing Date: August 9, 2006 Examiner: Chih Cheng G. Kao
Applicant: Shinichi TERADA Conf. No.: 9530
Title: PORE- OR PARTICLE-SIZE DISTRIBUTION
MEASUREMENT APPARATUS
Attorney Docket: 2691-000022/US

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Mail Stop Amendment

Date: March 17, 2009

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed December 18, 2008, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this Amendment.

	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
Total	7	-	20	=	0
Independent	1	-	4	=	0